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The Honorable Gregory M. Sleet
United States District Judge
J. Caleb Boggs Federal Building
844 N. King Street, Lockbox 18
Wilmington, DE 19801

**Re: Linear Technology Corporation v. Monolithic Power Systems Inc.
 C. A. No. 06-476 (GMS)**

Dear Judge Sleet:

We have reviewed Ms. Loudon's October 23, 2006 letter requesting oral argument on Linear's Motion to Strike. Although Monolithic Power Systems does not believe oral argument is necessary, we will appear at the Court's convenience if Your Honor believes oral argument would be helpful to resolve the pending motion.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Richard L. Horwitz

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